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SUBJECT: ARRESTS: DIFFICULTIES AND DELAYS IN CONSULAR
ACCESS AND VISITATIONS

REF: MAZATLAN NO. 202, 203 AND 207 AND MATTHEWS TELCON
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REFTELS REPORTED RECENT DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED BY
AMCON IN GAINING CONSULAR ACCESS AND PERFORMING RELATED
DUTIES FOR DETAINED AMCITS DUE RUMOR AMERICAN ESCAPE
COMMITTEE PLANNED ATTACK ON MAZATLAN PRISON OVER WEEKEND
MAY 21-23. SINCE NO REPEAT NO ATTACK TOOK PLACE,
POST SHOULD ADVISE DEPARTMENT SOONEST IF CONSULAR
DIFFICULTIES REPORTED REFTELS STILL PERSIST. SPECIFICALLY,
HAS CONOFF BEEN ABLE TO VISIT OR TELEPHONE PRISONERS SINCE
WEEKEND. HAS CONOFF BEEN ABLE TO GIVE PRINTED MATERIAL
SUCH AS LAWYERS LISTS TO DETAINEES. IF NOT, WHAT IS
EXCUSE PROVIDED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES? ROBINSON

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